



Proposed Code Change  
State Form 41186R

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CODE SERVICES SECTION  
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INSTRUCTIONS:

Only TYPED copy accepted.

(KEY – ~~Dashed line through material to be deleted~~, underline material to be added)

Use second sheet for any material requiring more space.

Code Title International Residential Code		Edition 2009
Section number and title R303.6 Stairway illumination		Page 54
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Address 9805 Chapel Road Centerville, IN 47330		Phone 765-623-1640
PROPOSED CODE CHANGE (Check One)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Change to read as follows <input type="checkbox"/> Add to read as follows <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Delete and substitute as follows <input type="checkbox"/> Delete without substitution		
<p>In Section R303.6 Stairway illumination, delete all text after the first sentence and substitute to read as follows: For interior stairs the artificial light source shall be capable of illuminating treads and landings to levels not less than 1 foot-candle (11 lux) measured at the center of treads and landings. Exterior stairways shall be provided with an artificial light source located so that the top landing of the stairway is illuminated. Exterior stairways providing access to a basement from the outside grade level shall be provided with an artificial light source located so that the bottom landing of the stairway is illuminated.</p>		
REASON AND FISCAL IMPACT		
<p>This proposal brings forward an amendment from the 2005 Indiana Residential Code.</p>		
REVIEW RECOMMENDATION		
Approve		
Disapprove		
Approve as amended		
Further Study		